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		First Named Inventor	Kenichi YAMAMOTO et al.	
		Group Art Unit	2132	
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**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION
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This is in response to the final Office Action mailed May 11, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on August 11, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Entry of this Amendment and reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested because the amendments and remarks clarify the patentably distinguishing features of the present invention over the relied upon references.

If there are any additional fees associated with filing of this Amendment, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.